BEFORE

## THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF

## SOUTH CAROLINA

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AUGUST 29, 1997

IN RE: Request of Irmo High School, 6671 ) ORDER St. Andrews Road, Columbia, SC 29212, ) GRANTING for Waiver of COCOT Guidelines. ) REQUEST

This matter comes before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (the Commission) on the request of Vel H. Jones, Assistant Principal of Irmo High School, who requests permission to place a time limit on the five payphones on the campus of Irmo High School. Jones notes that the students are using the payphones for reasons other than calling parents, and he believes that four minutes is more than enough time for the students to call home. Therefore, Jones asks for permission to place a four minute time limit on the payphones located on the high school campus.

The Commission has examined this matter, and we agree that the request of Jones is reasonable. We therefore grant a waiver of COCOT guidelines to allow a four minute time limit to be placed on the pay telephones at Irmo High School.

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This Order shall remain in full force and effect until further Order of the Commission.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:

Chairman

ATTEST:

Executive Director

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